

**HIGH COURT FOR THE STATE OF TELANGANA
AT HYDERABAD**

MONDAY, THE THIRD DAY OF MARCH
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY FIVE

PRESENT

**THE HONOURABLE SMT JUSTICE JUVVADI SRIDEVI
CRIMINAL PETITION NO: 2938 OF 2025**

Between:

1. Chityla Latha, W/o. Chityala Devadas, Aged about 46 years, Occ- Housewife, R/o. H. No. 8-6-11, Sai Nagar, Vemulawada Town and Mandal, Rajanna Siricilla District
2. Chityala Devadas, S/o. Gangaiah Aged about 47 years, Occ- Housewife, R/o. H. No. 8-6-11, Sai Nagar, Vemulawada Town and Mandal, Rajanna Siricilla District
3. Chityala Saikumar, S/o. Devadas Aged about 26 years, Occ- Student, R/o. H. No. 8-6-11, Sai Nagar, Vemulawada Town and Mandal, Rajanna Siricilla District

...PETITIONER/ACCUSED

AND

1. State of Telangana, Rep. by Public Prosecutor, High Court for the State of Telangana, Hyderabad
2. Addagatla Amar, S/o. Mohan Aged about 48 years, Occ- Auto Driver, R/o. Ramaraopalle Village, Vemulawada Mandal, Rajanna Siricilla District

...RESPONDENT/COMPLAINANTS

Petition under Section 528 of BNSS praying that in the circumstances stated in the Memorandum of Grounds of Criminal Petition, the High Court may be pleased to call for the records relating to proceedings in Crime No. 40 of 2025 on the file of the Station House Officer, Chandurthy Police Station and quash the same.

I.A. NO: 2 OF 2025

Petition under Section 482 of Cr.P.C praying that in the circumstances stated in the Memorandum of Grounds of Criminal Petition, the High Court may be pleased to stay of all further proceedings in Crime No. 40 of 2025 on the file of the Station House Officer, Chandurthy Police Station for the offences U/Sec.318(4), 292, 115(2), 351(2) r/w. 3(5) of BNS Act including the Arrest/Appearance of the Petitioners pending disposal of Criminal petition.

This Petition coming on for hearing, upon perusing the Memorandum of Grounds of Criminal Petition and upon hearing the arguments of Sri RAJASHEKHAR REDDY JEJALA, Advocate for the Petitioner and Sri Jithender Rao Veeramalla the Addl. Public Prosecutor on behalf of the Respondent No.1 and none appeared for the Respondent No.2.

The Court made the following: ORDER

HON'BLE SMT. JUSTICE JUVVADI SRIDEVI

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ORDER:

Petitioners, who are arrayed as accused Nos.1 to 3 in Crime No.40 of 2025 of P.S. Chandurthy, Rajanna-Sircilla District, registered for the offences under Sections 318(4), 292, 115(2) and 351(2) r/w. 3(5) of BNS, 2023, are seeking to quash the proceedings against them.

2. Heard Mr. Rajashekhar Reddy Jejala, learned counsel for the petitioners and Mr. Jithender Rao Veeramalla, learned Additional Public Prosecutor appearing for the State and perused the record.

3. Though this petition is filed for quashing the proceedings in the crime, during the course of arguments, learned counsel for the petitioners has sought for directions to the Police to proceed with investigation by issuing notice under Section 35(3) of Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita (BNSS) (Previously Section 41-A of Cr.P.C.).

4. In view of the above, without going into merits of the matter, this criminal petition is disposed of directing the Police concerned to proceed with the investigation in the above crime after issuing notice under Section 35(3) of BNSS (Previously Section 41-A of Cr.P.C.) to

the petitioners and they shall also follow the guidelines of Hon'ble Supreme Court in ***Arnesh Kumar v. State of Bihar and another***¹ scrupulously. However, the petitioners shall submit their defense and co-operate with the Investigating Officer as and when required by furnishing information and produce all relevant documents/material required for the purpose of the investigation and the Investigating Officer shall consider the same before filing appropriate report before the learned Magistrate concerned.

Miscellaneous application pending, if any, shall stand closed.

Sd/- L. LAKSHMI BABU
ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

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To

1. The Station House Officer, Police Station, Chandurthy, Rajanna Sircilla Dist
2. Two CCs to the PUBLIC PROSECUTOR, High Court at Hyderabad. (OUT)
3. One CC to SRI. RAJASHEKHAR REDDY JEJALA Advocate [OPUC]
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¹ (2014) 8 SCC 273.

HIGH COURT

DATED:03/03/2025

ORDER

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CRIMINAL PETITION IS DISPOSED OF

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